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Commission Rules Store Closed Sunday

The Marin County Housing Commission last Friday passed a motion ruling that the Marin City liquor store should be closed Sundays, according to report from Judge Guy A. Ciocca, executive director.

The action was taken after unofficial notice to the commission that the improvement committee had suggested Sunday closing of the local store. However, the committee recommendation has not yet come up before the Marin City Council.

"We knew that the council had previously discussed the problem of congestion at the Commercial Center on Sunday evenings, and after consideration of sheriff's records on the subject, we deemed the closing advisable," said Ciocca.

"But if it is decided by council that part-time opening of the store Sundays would be an adequate solution, that recommendation could be made at the next commission meeting, December 1," he added.

Navy Dance Will Enlist Local Girls

Negro girls who wish to go to the Navy dance at Treasure Island Wednesday, November 29, should register at the USO cottage or House 30 before 10 a.m. Wednesday.

The dance is one of the regular affairs sponsored by the Navy for the servicemen stationed at the nearby base.

Girls who attend are transported from here to Treasure Island by Navy bus, and carefully chaperoned by Navy personnel and volunteer senior hostesses.

Dormitories To Stage Bi-monthly Boxing Smokers

As a result of the popularity of boxing smokers at the Marin City Dormitories, the Marin County Recreation Department and Marinship Corporation have arranged to stage bi-monthly boxing smokers with 18 rounds of boxing.

Competitive boxing events are now being arranged with various military units throughout the Bay area and Marinship employees.

The Dormitory gymnasium is equipped with a full-sized boxing ring and four bag-punching units so that men may train and condition Monday through Saturday, 12 noon to 3 p.m. and 6 to 9 p.m.

Van Dorn Boy Returns Lost Watch to Steele

Hi Steele, rental office employee, who lost his gold Elgin watch last week, had it back in his pocket Tuesday by courtesy of one of the R. A. Van Dorn sons.

The youngster found it near his home, 688, and turned it over to his mother, who read The Marin Citizen classified ads and located the owner.

M. G. Rolland and brother, Harold Rolland, returned Sunday from Des Moines, Ia., where they attended the funeral of their brother-in-law.

Strike One!



An American doughboy in Italy pitches a hand grenade at a Nazi position somewhere just back of this rubble that was once a farm house. The War Bonds you buy are also grenades that will drive the Axis into the open and unconditional surrender.

Thanksgiving Services at Center Church

Thanksgiving services will be held in the Community Center next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, with Dr. Norman Pendleton preaching on "The Rose of Sharon"—third of the sermons on "The Garden of the Heart."

The Community Sunday School will soon celebrate beginning of its third year in Marin City. The school meets in the Community Building each Sunday at 10 a.m., with classes for all ages, and community singing led by Mrs. J. Crauston and Mrs. E. Cochran at the piano.

All citizens of Marin City are invited to both church and Sunday School services.

Marinship Honors Oldest Oil Field at Launching Sunday

A name well known in western construction circles will be launched at Marinship next Sunday, November 26, when the tanker SS McKittrick Hills is launched at Sausalito by the wife of W. A. Bechtel Jr., son of the founder of the W. A. Bechtel Co.

Named for the oilfield located at the town of McKittrick in northwestern Kern county, the 523-foot high-speed tanker will glide into the waters of San Francisco Bay at 11 a.m. A delegation of residents of McKittrick and Kern county will be on hand.

Standing with the sponsor and her husband will be the maid of honor, Miss June Warwick of Oakland, and Bechtel's two brothers, K. K. Bechtel, president of Marinship Corporation, and S. D. Bechtel, president of W. A. Bechtel Co. W. A. Bechtel Jr. is president of Compania Bechtel, S. A., of Sonora, Mexico.

This ship is the tenth of 32 similar tankers which comprise the Hills class, named for California petroleum fields. Each ship is of 16,500 deadweight tons, powered by an 8,250-horsepower turbo-electric drive. This will be the 65th

City Reaches 81 Per Cent Of Chest Goal

Marin City made 81 per cent of its War Chest Goal, reported Chairman Norman Campbell at a banquet in San Rafael last Monday night, celebrating the close of the county campaign.

Contributions turned into the local drive totaled \$851, said Campbell, who shared the chairmanship honors with Mrs. W. C. Billingsley.

Attending the celebration banquet from Marin City were Campbell, W. C. Billingsley, Michael B. Smith, Mrs. Marie Larson, and Milen Dempster.

Marin City's goal was \$1000.

Local Girls Model Furs at Sunday Dance

More than 450 local people and servicemen jammed Marin City's auditorium last Sunday night for one of the town's most successful dances, reports the editorial committee of the Marin City Council, sponsor of the affair.

Guests attributed a large share of the evening's success to Duke Alexander's colored band, which kept the crowd on its feet with hot jive music from the moment the dance opened until closing at 12:30 a.m.

During the intermission the show was turned over to San Francisco's famous furrier, Fred Benioff Himself, who staged a fast style show with Marin City women displaying the luxurious fur coats.

Models were the Misses Anastacia Kiely, Norma Stanley, Beverly Phillips, Beverly Combs, Mary and Arlene Brown, and their mother, Mrs. Louella Brown.

The girls displayed approximately \$35,000 worth of furs as they paraded across the stage in silver fox, mink, Persian lamb, stone martin, squirrel, and beaver coats.

The show was given by Irving Berger, Benioff's New York buyer, and Walter Cawest, sales manager. Mrs. Jean Barton of San Francisco assisted.

Recreation For Trailer Court

Keeping up with the population increase at the Alto Trailer Court, which is adding 165 Navy trailers to house new war workers here, the Marin County Recreation Department last week expanded its recreation program.

Now being offered at the trailer court town are arts and crafts for children, indoor games, movies, and Family Night every Saturday.

Clarification

Sunday closing of the Marin City Liquor Store, a suggestion made last week by the Improvement Committee, has not yet been presented to the Marin City Council, nor acted upon by that body.

Next Friday Is Paper Salvage Day At School

Next Friday, December 1, will be paper salvage day at the Marin City school. Parents are urged to send their salvaged newspapers and magazines to school with their children on that day.

Households with no grammar school children, may leave their contributions in front of their homes, where youngsters will be instructed to carry them on to the salvage depot.

Or, residents may bring the collections to the school house hallway.

Money from sale of the papers will be used to buy pictures and maps for the school rooms.

New Church Dedication This Sunday

Formal opening of Marin City's new church building has been advanced to this Sunday, November 26, from 2 to 3:30 p.m.

All denominations are joining in an open house program to which the community is invited.

The dedication ceremony will begin with presentation of the flag by Marin City Girl Scouts. Invocation will be offered by Chaplain Warwick from the church at San Quentin.

The eight pastors who will share the building for their denominations' services will be introduced from the platform.

A closing prayer and song will conclude the ceremony.

The religious groups which will hold services at the new Marin City church, beginning Sunday, December 3, are:

Catholic, Episcopal, Church of Christ, First Missionary Baptist, Lutheran, Assemblies of God, Calvary Baptist, and Latter Day Saints.

Carolers to Serenade City Christmas Eve

The Community Sunday School Christmas Committee, with Mrs. J. Cranston as chairman, announces the following Christmas schedule:

1. A special Christmas party for the Boys' Club on the evening of December 16, with Christmas games, songs and refreshments.

2. Cooperation in the Community Christmas Party.

3. Christmas serenade with adults singing the historic Christmas carols throughout Marin City by loudspeaker equipment on the night of December 23 from 11 p.m. until midnight.

A special Community Christmas service will be given Sunday morning, December 24 at 11, with the Boys' and Girls' choir, assisted by adult soloists and instrumental numbers.

Feature of this service will be a Christmas pageant by the Girls' Club and a brief sermon, "There'll Always Be a Christmas."

Work Starts on SS 'Midway Hills', Marinship Oiler

Keel was laid for the Marinship tanker S.S. "Midway Hills" at 7 a.m. Monday, November 20, 1944. The hull immediately began to take shape on Way 4, where another tanker had been launched shortly before.

Each ship of the "Hills" class is over 525 feet long, and of 16,500 deadweight tons.

Present schedules call for launching of the S. S. "Midway Hills" some time in January.

The gasoline delivered to our fighting fronts by a tanker of this type would send 1000 four-engined bombers on six roundtrip missions to Berlin from British bases, according to company statisticians.

The more we study the transmutation, called death, the more we are impressed with the idea that our presence here on this planet is not the real play at all but merely the "screen test".

Teener Topics

Edited by GLENN BISHOP

Football

Last week Tamalpais was defeated by San Rafael. The score was 20 to 12. It was an exciting game and San Rafael got their last touchdown in the last few minutes.

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Last Saturday Tam beat San Rafael in the big-little game by the score of 8 to 0. The score was made by a touchdown and a touchback.

Poor Marvin Gardiner, at last he thought he was going to get to play and it happened. He was trying to stop a block and really got blocked. He cracked his arm and did not get to play. Now he is trying to get everybody's sympathy.

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There will be no council notes this week because there has been no council meeting for two weeks. Come on members let's get to the meetings.

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We wish to thank Nancy Larson, Betty Massie, Lila Flynn and last but not least Willie Rombke for contributions this week.

Nosey Notes

Dennis Pecaut and Joyce Adieu have been together for quite a while. How long is it going to last Dennis?

Ronald Meeks and Eleanor Henshaw are getting pretty well acquainted; how about it Ronald?

If you want your handwriting analyzed see Nancy "Bourbon" Futrell. In other words if you want to know about yourself just give her a sample of your handwriting and hold your breath.

Xmas Party Plans Now Under Way

Thursday evening, December 21, was the date set for the children's Christmas party in Marin City, by a party planning committee which met for the first time this Tuesday.

The meeting was called by suggestion of the Marin City Council to organize the annual holiday affair.

Present were Mrs. Donald Green, representing the local P-TA; Mrs. Arthur Hart, Girl Scouts; Mrs. Earl James, VICS; Milen Dempster, project services director.

Tentative plans for refreshments and the program were made.

The next meeting of the committee will be Wednesday, November 29, at 1:30 p.m. in the lounge room. All interested organizations are invited to send representatives.

USO Worker

Mrs. V. Richardson is the new worker at the Marin City USO Cottage, taking Miss Virginia Berry's place while she is in New York at the USO Institute.

Mrs. Richardson, wife of a service man, is a recent graduate of the University of California, in the Social Welfare Department.

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Just why did Mickey Carpenter sit down in a mud puddle when coming off the hill last week?

Dorothy Has Bad Time With City's Dog Problems

Dorothy Marie Johnson, young daughter of Leslie Johnson, was bitten twice last week by stray dogs. The first injury occurred at the Child Care Center where a small pup which had been teased by other children, nipped Dorothy's ear.

The second accident was near her home. While playing she broke away and ran to meet her uncle. A dog attacked

and bit her right leg, causing several punctures of the skin.

She was treated at the Medical Center.

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Battle Flag Displayed at Armistice Day Launching

Exactly at 11 o'clock Saturday morning, November 11, 26 years after the order "Cease Firing" was issued in 1918, the tanker S. S. Inglewood Hills was launched at Marinship, in an Armistice Day memorial to our heroic war dead.

Workers and guests at the shipyard stood uncovered in silent respect as the ship readied for the plunge into San Francisco bay. Sponsor was Mrs. Don S. Lind of Mill Valley.

Battle flag which actually flew from the destroyer Dewey in the historic attack on Japan's Tarawa, was again raised to the breeze, as a Marine bugler sounded "Colors." The flag although tattered from its battle experience, is now a revered relic of the most costly short military engagement in

United States history.

"Armistice Day is a Holy Day, when we acknowledge our daily debt to those who died for us," declared Charles H. Day, master of ceremonies, and assistant production manager. "Our first duty to them is to prosecute this war with all energy, and without letup. Our second duty is of reverence to those who died that we might live with heads erect."

School To Close For Three Days

The Marin City school will be closed for three days next week, November 27 to 29, while local teachers attend the annual Marin County Teachers Institute at San Rafael and Marin Junior College.

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Presentation of the Flag by Marin City Girl Scout Troop.

Dedication Ceremony.

Invocation by Chaplain Warwick of San Quentin Chapel.

Introduction of clergymen whose denominations will share the building.

Closing Prayer and Song.

Beginning Sunday, December 3, these services will be held in the Marin City Church. Everyone is invited to attend the church of his choice.

CATHOLIC

Star of the Sea Church

Father Henry O'Flynn, Pastor.

Christian Doctrine Classes, Saturday, 9:15 to 11:15 a.m., conducted by the Sisters of the Holy Family.

Confession, Saturday, 10 to 11 a.m.

LUTHERAN

Rev. John Jacobsen, Pastor.
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Services the first and third Sundays of each month at 2 p.m.

Saturday School at House 249, 2:30 p.m.
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Rev. Lloyd Cox.

Hours to be announced.

ASSEMBLIES OF GOD

Rev. Floyd L. Smith.

Sunday, 3:30 to 5:30.

Evening Services, Wednesday, 7:30 to 9.

CALVARY BAPTIST

Rev. Harold Hettema, Pastor.

Sunday, 5 p.m., Vesper Service.

Thursday, 11 a.m. and 1:30 p.m., Children's Story Hour.

Friday, 11 a.m. and 1:30 p.m., Children's Story Hour.

Friday, 7:45 p.m., Bible Study.

Monday, Fundamentalist Bible Study Group, Mrs. Henry Young, 7:30 p.m.

LATTER DAY SAINTS

W. R. Coffee, Missionary.

Saturday classes for young people, 2 to 5 p.m.



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It's been a mighty good year for farmers. So far it's been an easy war in general for us in the United States. *But it isn't over yet.* Not by a long shot. The

biggest part of the job is still ahead. The war against Japan will probably be history's costliest. One average Navy task force costs 2 billion dollars—and we need many of them. Even one torpedo costs \$12,000! And one Superfortress to bomb Tokyo, \$600,000!

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WOMEN'S PAGE

Women's Club Offers Food, Apron Sale

The Marin City Women's Club is holding a cooked food and apron sale Saturday, December 2, at the Marin City school from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Mrs. W. M. Miller, chairman, asks all contributors to leave their donations at A23-177 Friday, or bring to the school by 9 a.m. Saturday.

A home-made candy booth will be chaired by Mrs. Robert Cooper. She asks that contributions to her booth be at the school early Saturday morning.

The apron booth will display for sale a large collection of practical and fancy aprons, sister sets, mother and daughter sets, and kitchen aprons with pot holders to match. Mrs. E. B. Mathews will be in charge of the booth.

Anyone wishing useful and practical items for Christmas gifts will find a good assortment at the sale, assures the chairman.

Foot defects are being cleared up through Army training.

Workers Give Blood to Aid Injured Man

Fifty-six of Harry Chain's pals at Marinship paid off a debt of gratitude at Marinship Tuesday—in blood.

The Marinship blood donors were all friends and fellow-workers of the late Harry W. Chain, on the stagerigger crew at the Sausalito shipyard.

Harry fell to his death on November 11, when, in the line of duty he fell 20 feet while trying to make a ladder safe for other workers.

Death came to the Marin man nine hours after his accident, even though he was given several transfusions of blood, freely granted from the Marinship account in the Irwin Blood Bank in San Francisco.

Three days later 56 Marinship men volunteered their blood in appreciation of the valiant efforts made in their pal's behalf. Now their blood will be credited to Marinship for use in any coming emergency.

Mrs. A. T. Eddy is visiting in the San Joaquin Valley.

Child Care Party For Donna Sue

When Donna Sue Johnson celebrated her seventh birthday last Saturday, she invited the entire Child Care Center to the affair.

Her mother, Mrs. Lesley Johnson, brought cake and ice cream for the 45 guests. After the refreshments, Donna Sue was presented with gifts from her friends, and the center spent the afternoon playing party games.

Rummage Sale At Mill Valley

A special invitation to Marin City people was given this week to attend the rummage sale being held at Mill Valley, November 28 to December 2, by the Mt. Tamalpais Lodge No. 399, I.O.O.F., and the Blythdale Rebeckah Lodge, No. 305, I.O.O.F.

A food sale will be held in conjunction with the rummage sale. The address is 32 Miller Ave., in the space formerly occupied by the Ben Franklin store.

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What was your favorite picture? "Dark Victory"? "Grand Hotel"? "The Old Maid"? "Rip Tide"? "The Devil's Holiday"? "Love"? "White Banners"? "The Trespasser"? "The Constant Nymph"? "Claudia"?

Goulding directed them all, and many more.

Rugged Individualist

Goulding is like no one else here. His technique is his and his alone. He welcomes temperament. The tougher they come, the better he likes 'em.

There is so much to write about Goulding that in this article you can get only a glimpse of the man. When I say that he is fabulous I'm pulling my punches.

I'll let Eddie talk. I quote: "Most of the people who have interested me are those who are in some kind of spot. They were either beginning or desperately anxious — **Bing Crosby**, a natural . . . **Bankhead**, beautiful, vital . . . **Constance Bennett**, so positive . . . **Alex Smith**, so nervous . . . **Dolores Moran**, so green . . . **Joyce Reynolds**, so young . . . **Gig Young**, so anxious . . . **Geraldine Fitzgerald**, so Irishly indifferent . . . **Louise Hayward**, **Noel Coward**'s tip and mine . . . **David Niven**, so refreshing . . . **Fay Bainter**, so scared of the movies . . . **Helen Hayes** (for whom he wrote "Dancing Mothers") . . . **Paul Lukas**, so bothered about our language . . . **Richard Barthelmess**, so ambitious. . . . Some weird fate brings me into other people's lives when they need me.

"Show me someone trembling, perspiring, fearing they are not good, hoping they will get by — someone to whom the enterprise means life or death — and I become their soldier.

Begins With Research

"I want to know all about them. I want to enter their lives, know all their problems, their aches, pains, fears, appre-

hensions, and hopes. I'm paid well for my trouble, because there is great strength to be given by someone who digs and understands more than surface problems."

As this is being written Edmund Goulding is doing what he considers the most important picture of his career. It's "Of Human Bondage," the **Somerset Maugham** story that catapulted **Bette Davis** to stardom. Her part of Mildred, the cockney girl who wrecks the life of Philip Carey, is being taken in the present version by **Eleanor Parker**.

Goulding's method of conditioning Eleanor, an almost unknown, for the important role is typical of his thoroughness.

He went down on the set of "Between Two Worlds" to see her. She was very beautiful, quiet, more unlike Mildred than anyone he'd ever seen.

Eleanor said: "Of course I want to play the part of Mildred, but I'm sure I can't."

"What makes you so cocksure you can't do it?" asked Eddie.

She answered: "Well, it takes an actress, and you've

got to be English."

Eddie continued the narrative: "Well, something happened then. It was instinctive, it was a challenge. It was my ego, I guess."

"I asked her to sneak away when she could, talk cockney with me. I got the English actress, **Doris Lloyd**, to help her. At the end of the week I knew she could do it."

"I worked with her like a psychiatrist. Altogether it took two and a half solid months of work to play around with that girl until she blindly believed in me."

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The car was stolen from in front of Marinship, while he was working, some time last Monday.

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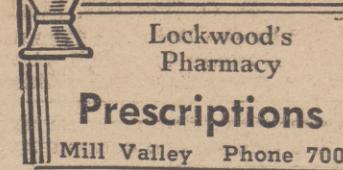
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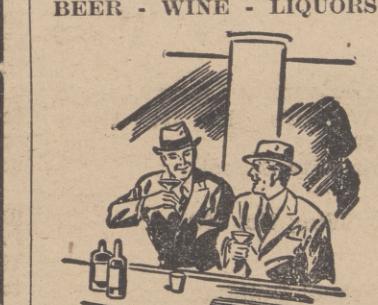
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Campbell Leaves Council

When Norman Campbell, dynamic chairman of the Marin City Council, raps his gavel for the last time next Sunday night, the council and the town citizens will be losing one of the most effective public servants ever to emerge here.

Campbell, to use one of his favorite expressions, "has taken the bull by the horns" on more than one occasion where the action has produced a telling effect.

Quick to spot an unsavoury situation, he has been consistently outspoken and active in correcting elements of "noncooperation" by such agencies as the housing authority and the sheriff's department.

From the wide open spaces of his native Colorado, Campbell has succeeded in bringing here some of the freedom of thought, swift action, and shrewd initiative which are indigenous in the folklore of America.

We wish there were a hundred Norman Campbells in Marin City. If this were so, many of the problems we face daily would disappear overnight in the face of their drive and force. The community leadership which he has shown should serve as inspiration for the rest of us to follow.

But lest this should sound like a farewell, we hasten to add that, luckily, he is not leaving town. He is simply taking time out for a breather and re-acquaintance with his family. We have every reason to hope that he'll stay in Marin City's community life—swinging at injustice from the floor instead of the chair.

Men like Campbell, fortunately for democratic America, do not retire. They go right on working for the things they believe in.

Editor's Note:

The article appearing in the editorial space of last week's Marin Citizen was not an editorial, but the personal opinion of Columnist Michael B. Smith, writing under his usual column heading, Mike's Column. As such, it was not a reflection of the Marin City Council.

Marin City Bulletin Board

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 25—

2:00-5:00 P.M.—Library open, Community Bldg.
7:00-10:00 P.M.—Young People—Church of Christ—Auditorium

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 26—

9:30 A.M.—Church School, Community Bldg.
11:00 A.M.—Community Church, Community Bldg.
2:00-3:30 P.M.—Dedication Ceremony, New Church Bldg.
8:00 P.M.—Council Meeting, Lounge.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 27—

3:00-6:00 P.M.—Red Cross sewing, sponsored by VICS, Marin City School.
6:00 P.M.—Guitar Classes, Marin City School.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 28—

11:00-12:00 A.M.—Library open.
1:00-5:00 P.M.—Library open, Community Library.
1:00-4:00 and 7:30-9:30 P.M.—Women's Club Red Cross Sewing, Marin City School.
6:00 P.M.—Guitar Classes, Marin City School.
6:00-8:00 P.M.—Library open.
8:00 P.M.—Teeners Council, Building No. 398.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 29—

8:30 A.M.—Well Baby Clinic, School Building.
1:30 P.M.—Christmas Committee, Lounge.
1:00-3:30 P.M.—Red Cross Sewing, sponsored by Women's Church Auxiliary, Marin City Schools.
5:30 P.M.—Women's Softball. Baseball Field.
6:00 P.M.—Guitar Classes, Marin City School.
7:30 P.M.—House Committee, Lounge.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 30—

11:00-12:00 M.—Library open.
1:00-4 P.M.—PTA Sewing Group, Marin City School.
1:00-5:00 P.M.—Library open, Community Library.
6:00-8:00 P.M.—Library open.
7:00-8:30 P.M.—Girls' Choir, Council Room.
7:45 P.M.—Sea Scouts, Auditorium.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1—

12:00 P.M.—Classical Music Listening Hour, Lounge.
6:00-9:00 P.M.—Red Cross Sewing, sponsored by VICS, Marin City School.
7:30 P.M.—Boy Scouts, Council Room.
7:30 P.M.—Medical Committee, Lounge.
8:00 P.M.—Citizen Staff Meeting, Building 402.



Letters to The Editor

DEAR EDITOR:

I have just finished reading the article in The Marin Citizen entitled "Spanking Creates Uproar at School." Not knowing who the mother is and not being well acquainted with the teachers of our school, I offer the following:

I wonder if this same boy spoken of in the article is one of those who helps create such a disturbance in the picture shows that on several occasions they've had to be discontinued—thus depriving other children of their right to see them. Is he one of those at the Hallowe'en Party who devoured four or five cups of ice cream and kept going back for more, so that other little ones who had to wait until last, didn't get any?

You parents know who did this because the guilty ones went about bragging how they had fooled the ones passing them out. We parents should be grateful enough to the people who put forth the effort to entertain our children, to teach our children how to behave in public.

Whether this mother knows it or not, she has told her son that he has a perfect right to spit on his fellow students. Is there any difference in putting spit in wads and throwing them and spitting on people?

Perhaps the principal and teachers are over hasty in some of their actions, but so are we parents.

But no need to punish delinquent children when the fault lies in we delinquent parents. We have our heads buried in the sand, refusing to be bothered about our little boys' and girls' pranks, unless someone else takes it upon themselves to try to punish them. Very few parents go with their children to see that they behave.

Last month the Parent Teachers monthly meeting was held and of the hundreds of parents dwelling in Marin City, about 15 were present.

And only about two-thirds of the teachers were there. This is the place where problems can be discussed and a better understanding can be reached between parents and teachers.

This is the original and is the present purpose of a P.T.A. organization. But it can do no good if we don't attend.

Please, parents, let's wake

Mike's Column

By MICHAEL B. SMITH

This column has never pretended to represent any opinion but that of the writer. Last week's contribution was no exception.

In that modest effort, the writer undertook to criticize an important public official who did something both unwise and unfair.

Since then, some of our very best citizens have told me that although the facts in last week's column were true in every detail, I am, in part, as follows (not necessarily in the order of importance):

(a) Dishonest; (b) ungentlemanly; (c) cowardly; (d) stupid; (e) and lots more.

And by various other sly hints and subtle innuendos, was singled out as an unmitigated stinker. All this to my face, mind you!

I have not as yet had time to check whether or not this analysis is accurate. At this point, however, I would like to state it is a mighty hard thing to believe of my favorite welder; and practically all of my family feels as I do.

But if what the admirers of Mr. Boyle say about my hero is true, it is certainly not because of anything said in last week's paper.

If any part of what was written is untrue, then Boyle should use this paper to prove that he has been made the victim of unjust criticism. He has been specifically invited to do so.

No man should be too big to feel that he would not "stoop" to defend the truth.

In the meantime this column will continue freely to express any honest criticism of any public official who deserves it—that is what a free press is for.

A teenagers Home Nursing class for high school and working girls was being organized at this time last year by Mrs. Helen Walenta, home nursing chairman.

A plea for cakes to be taken to Fort Baker was made by members of the Canteen Corps. The ladies were to serve the cakes there on Christmas day.

up before it is too late to help our children. Now is the time to curb their wayward acts by ceasing to be wayward parents.

This is the original and is the present purpose of a P.T.A. organization. But it can do no good if we don't attend.

MRS. BERNICE BINGHAM, House 385.

Family Life

By Vox Populus

"Strange!" I hissed to myself when I got home from work. "Nobody home, no supper on the stove!" However, as I went back out the front door, Emma cool-like, said hello from somewhere. Looking about I saw her and the kids and the dog, "Jumpy" down the hill wandering around in aimless circles.

"What's up?" I hooted and walked toward them.

Well, it's a long story. For weeks Emma had wanted to get new slippers for our youngest. She didn't want him, when dressed for bed, getting his feet cold. His old slippers had worn out and he didn't put them on when he was supposed to. Emma hadn't been able to find any new ones until the last time she went shopping in the city. She had had them sent by mail and our neighbor had picked them up at the post office for us and left them on our front porch. "Jumpy" had got loose while Emma and the kids were at the market, had chewed the box into tatters. One of the slippers was gone.

Where had "Jumpy" left it? It was already getting dark and misty. In turns we took "Jumpy's" head into our hand, showed him the remaining slipper, looked into his eyes, and asked him in various tones, "Jumpy, where did yu' put that slipper?" He seemed to want to help; wiggled his tail and body, but when we followed him he only went to gopher holes and the like,—no slipper anywhere. Emma had already shoved his nose into the battered box and spanked it—his nose, I mean.

"If Jumpy chews any more things, we'll have to get rid of him," Emma growled to the kid's tears. "Those slippers cost \$4 and you can't find any to buy. Even if we find the slipper, it'll be chewed to tatters."

After a late supper, in an air of gloom, the kids were put to bed. Our youngest in bed was hugging his solitary new slipper. Then, still in bed, he put it on his foot and smiled gleefully. But Emma wouldn't stand for that. "The other foot without a slipper will be lonely," she said as she made him take it off.

After the kids were settled down and we were in the living room, Emma philosophized, "It could 'ave been worse. Slippers don't take ration stamps. And Jumpy has become a part of the family."

Two days later the boys found the missing slipper, not chewed, unsoiled by the mist—so this little story has a happy ending, after all.

A Year Ago In Marin City

The first rain of the season proved that Marin City's new French drainage system really works, said Merritt Webster, assistant executive director.

Square dance callers, Noah Kirby and Elmer Moore, were drafted for work with old-fashioned dance groups at San Anselmo and Marin Junior College.

Miss Ethel Lilley, Medical Center head nurse, left her position to take up her personal life. She was a three months bride of Fred Van Sicklen, San Francisco business man.

There will be no sidewalks for Marin City. The newly-re-surfaced roads will have to do for pedestrians, announced the management.

Marin City's newest cub pack met with their new den mother, Mrs. Gordon McLaughlin.